

POETRY.

FOR THE CAMDEN JOURNAL.
The Magdalen.

One plunge, and then now, and forever,
Her shame and her sorrow are gone,
Far down 'neath the roll of the river,
Lie features so wondrously wan.
Ha! ye who in life did despise her,
Who envied her beauty of brow,
Her name, and her shame lie beside her,
Ye have naught, to do with her now.

One plunge, and the struggle is over,
The rush of the river along,
Leaves no trace, by which to discern
The grave of the righteous of wrong.
Then ye who in life did forsake her,
Who looked on her beauty in scorn,
Go leave her to rest 'till her Maker,
To judgment, shall call her at morn.

One plunge, and the conflict is ended,
And she, who was weary of breath,
Whom none in this wide world befriended,
Has sought an asylum in death.
But he who in life did betray her,
And blot her fair name with a stain,
Of God's judgment and justice beware,
E'er he seek forgiveness in vain.

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AGRICULTURAL.

We Should Raise More Stock at the South.

BY A SOUTHERNER.

One of the greatest defects of the farming practice of the South is want of attention to stock of all kinds. On many places well adapted to the raising of cattle, sheep, hogs and horses, the farm work done by mules, obtained from abroad; the laborers are fed on pork produced in the West, the butter used by the family comes from the grocer, the cattle and sheep are poor, ill fed and neglected, and the hogs few and unthrifty in comparison with what they should be.

Our farmers should understand that the great reliance for the improvement of the soil is upon the stock of the farm. Without stock a sufficient supply of domestic manures cannot be made, and the vine will inevitably decline in fertility until its cultivation ceases to be profitable. Moreover, the farmer who tries it will find that it is more profitable to turn his surplus grain and roots into beef, pork, mutton, butter, and a copious supply of valuable home-made manure than to send it off to market at a heavy expense for transportation. These remarks are more especially applicable to our uplands of moderate fertility. On rich alluvial lands and swamps grain is made in sufficient quantities to justify its sale. And in the interior wheat on improved lots is generally a good farming crop. Our farmers generally accept the principle that it is not profitable to raise corn for market on their uplands, but they do not inquire sufficiently into the question whether on such lands grain may not be profitably raised for stock.

In Europe they keep large herds and flocks, by means of their fine meadows and pastures, and by raising large quantities of roots for winter feeding. By this means, they not only have the finest meat, but milk, butter, cheese and wool; and raise manure enough to keep their lands up to the highest point of productivity. We might adopt their system here, with some modification, with great advantage. There are no better natural pastures in the union than may be found in the mountain districts of the South, as well as those below tide water, in the Eastern parts. As our Winters are short, it will require comparatively a small area to be planted in roots, clover, and other grasses, to support a large stock.

The manure raised, instead of being applied to the grain crops, as in the old countries and in the Northern States, where the system has been adopted to some extent, should here be applied to cotton. I know from my own experience, that even under the old system, where the stock are allowed to run in the woods, during the summer, and are sparingly fed during the winter, with the offal of the grain crops, sufficient manure can be raised per head to make a 400 lb. bale of cotton. If they were provided with good summer pastures, and with plenty of hay and turnips during the winter, the quantity of manure would be incalculably increased and its quality much enhanced.

The more root crops, there would be the more stock; the more stock, the more manure; the more manure, the more cotton. Under this system we might make as much cotton as we do on one-third of the land, save the money paid for fertilizers, and supply ourselves with an abundance of fat beef and mutton, milk and butter, articles that are extremely rare, even on the tables of our wealthiest farmers—the more shame to them that it is so.

But the only way our farmers can be induced to keep a large stock of cattle, is to convince them they can make more cotton thereby, and at least cost. No system will be adopted by them that does not revolve around this pivot.

There is now an awakening among the agriculturists of the South to the necessity of improving the breeds of their domestic animals. Almost any person of

proper qualifications who will undertake the business of raising animals of improved breeds, will find it a profitable business. Such animals are being constantly brought southward at great expense and with some risk, on account of change of climate, food, &c. A trader at the South possesses many and obvious advantages, which may be summed up in one sentence. He has the market at his door.

The raising of fine horses is a business which may be profitably followed in some portions.

American Stock Journal



GENERAL SUPPLY OFFICE,
CHARLESTON, S. C., May 11, 1870.
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